

HOUSE MAJORITY WHIP  
**JAMES E. CLYBURN**  
THE DAILY WHIPLINE



Wednesday, February 14, 2007

House Meets At...	Votes Predicted At...
10:00 a.m. for Legislative Business	No recorded votes are expected
15 "One-Minutes" per side	

In order to secure five minutes of debate time on the Iraq Resolution, all Members are strongly encouraged to email the Majority Leader's office via [IraqDebateTime@mail.house.gov](mailto:IraqDebateTime@mail.house.gov) and identify three preferred times slots in order of preference as soon as possible:

- **Wednesday:** 10:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., 3:00 – 6:00 p.m., 6:00 – 9:00 p.m., 9:00 p.m. – Midnight;
- **Thursday:** Noon – 3:00 p.m., 3:00 – 6:00 p.m., 6:00 – 9:00 p.m., 9:00 p.m. – Midnight.

**Floor Schedule and Procedure**

- **H. Con. Res. 63 -- Disapproving of the decision of the President announced on January 10, 2007, to deploy more than 20,000 additional combat troops to Iraq:**  
Today the House will continue with general debate on H. Con. Res. 63. Debate will be managed by Armed Services Committee Chair Ike Skelton and Foreign Affairs Committee Chair Tom Lantos or their designees. Each Member will have an opportunity to speak for five minutes on the resolution. Debate on the resolution today will end when there are no additional member requests for time, but will not go past midnight.
- **H.Res. \_\_\_\_ - Privileged Resolution on the Passing of the Honorable Charlie Norwood:** At some point today, the House will consider a resolution honoring Congressman Norwood, who passed away on Tuesday. Debate time on the resolution will be managed by the Georgia delegation. The resolution will be debated for one hour.

## **Bill Summary and Key Issues**

### **The Text of H. Con. Res. 63 follows:**

Disapproving of the decision of the President announced on January 10, 2007, to deploy more than 20,000 additional United States combat troops to Iraq.

*Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That—*

(1) Congress and the American people will continue to support and protect the members of the United States Armed Forces who are serving or who have served bravely and honorably in Iraq; and

(2) Congress disapproves of the decision of President George W. Bush announced on January 10, 2007, to deploy more than 20,000 additional United States combat troops to Iraq.

### **Special Notice to Members**

Members of Congress who wish to attend the Memorial Service for The Honorable Charlie Norwood (GA-10) are advised of the following arrangements:

Thursday, February 15, 2007

<b>10:30 AM</b>	Depart Rayburn Horseshoe for Andrews Air Force Base
<b>11:30 AM</b>	Wheels Up Andrews Air Force Base
<b>12:45 PM</b>	Arrive Augusta Regional Airport
<b>1:30 PM</b>	Arrive First Baptist Church
<b>2:00 PM</b>	Memorial Service First Baptist Church of Augusta 3500 Walton Way, Augusta, Georgia
<b>4:00 PM</b>	Depart Memorial Service
<b>4:30 PM</b>	Wheels Up Augusta Regional Airport
<b>5:45 PM</b>	Arrive Andrews Air Force Base
<b>6:30 PM</b>	Arrive Rayburn Horseshoe

### **CONDOLENCES**

Congressman Norwood is survived by his wife Gloria, sons Charles and Carlton Norwood, and four grandchildren, all of Augusta.

Letters of condolence may be sent to Congressman Norwood's Augusta office:  
1054 Claussen Road, Suite 316, Augusta, GA 30907

**Please contact the Office of the Sergeant at Arms at 225-2456 as soon as possible to confirm travel plans.**

### **Quote of the Day**

"And in the end it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years." —Abraham Lincoln
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